

## Message Text

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 BRASIL 07195 221800Z

45

ACTION ARA-20

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 USIE-00 AID-20 IGA-02 OIC-04 EB-11

OMB-01 TRSE-00 CIEP-02 DRC-01 CIAE-00 DODE-00 PM-07

H-03 INR-10 L-03 NSAE-00 NSC-10 PA-04 RSC-01 PRS-01

SPC-03 SS-20 ACDA-19 IO-14 SSO-00 NSCE-00 INRE-00

/157 W

----- 049358

O 221718Z OCT 73

FM AMEMBASSY BRASILIA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 136

C O N F I D E N T I A L BRASILIA 7195

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAS: PFOR BR

SUBJECT: ADDITIONAL BRAZILIAN VIEWS ON BOGOTA FOREIGN MINISTERS  
CONFERENCE

REF: 7194

1. IN PRESENTING AIDE MEMOIRE TRANSMITTED REFTEL, MINISTER PAULO PADILHA VIDAL (INTER-AMERICAN AFFAIRS) STATED THAT PROPOSED BOGOTA MEETING OF FOREIGN MINISTERS HAD ALL THE EARMARKS OF ANOTHER "VINA DEL MAR." WHENEVER REPRESENTATIVES OF UNDER-DEVELOPED COUNTRIES GET TOGETHER, IT IS ONLY NATURAL TO ANTICIPATE THAT THEY WILL COME UP WITH UTOPIAN AND UNREALISTIC PROGRAMS. THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE WILL THEN BE PLACED IN THE POSITION OF HAVING TO REJECT BLUE-SKY LATIN AMERICAN PROPOSALS WHICH WILL BECOME PART OF THE IRREDENTIST DEMANDS OF THE OTHER NATIONS OF THE HEMISPHERE. " YOU HAVE BEEN TRAPPED," HE SAID. IN ADDITION, THERE IS EVERY REASON TO SUPPOSE THAT THE QUITE PROFOUND DISAGREEMENTS EXISTING WITHIN THE SPECIAL COMMISSION MEETING IN WASHINGTON WILL BE TRANSPOSED TO BOGOTA. AFTER ALL, THE TECHNICIANS INVOLVED WITH THE DETAILED TO BOGOTA TO BACK UP THEIR FOREIGN MINISTERS. THIS, OF COURSE, REFERRED TO THE  
CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 BRASIL 07195 221800Z

ECONOMIC CONTENT OF THE MEETING. ON THE POLITICAL SIDE--AND

ON A PURELY SPECULATIVE BASIS--HE WONDERED IF IT WOULD NOT BE NATURAL FOR THE QUESTION OF CUBA TO ARISE.

2. PADILHA VIDAL STATED THAT IF THERE WERE A GENERAL CONSENSUS IN FAVOR OF THE MEETING, BRAZIL WOULD ATTEND AND WOULD PROBABLY BE REPRESENTED BY THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE FOREIGN MINISTRY. HOWEVER, THE BRAZILIAN RESPONSE TO THE BASQUEZ CAR-RIZOSA INVITATION GAVE THE U.S. A PERFECT OUT TO POSTPONE THE MEETING UNTIL THE NEXT OASGA. BRAZIL FELT THAT SECRETARY KISSINGER'S PARTICIPATION IN SUCH A MEETING WAS OF THE GREATEST IMPORTANCE. HOWEVER, IT WAS INCONCEIVABLE THAT THE SECRETARY COULD PARTICIPATE IN THE MIDDLE OF THE MIDDLE EAST CONFLICT. IN VIEW OF THE UNKNOWN POSSES BY ARAB-ISRAELI WAR, THIS WAS NO LESS TRUE FOR EVEN THE LATIN AMERICAN FOREIGN MINISTERS. POSTPONING THE CONFERENCE UNTIL APRIL WOULD PERMIT THE SPECIAL COMMISSION MEETINGS IN WASHINGTON AND LIMA TO PROCEED UNABATED AND AT LEAST THE POSITIONS TO BE DISCUSSED WOULD BE PROPERLY DEFINED.

CRIMMINS

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01 JAN 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** n/a  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Draft Date:** 22 OCT 1973  
**Decaption Date:** 01 JAN 1960  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Authority:** garlanwa  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 28 MAY 2004  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1973BRASIL07195  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** DG ALTERED  
**Executive Order:** GS CRIMMINS  
**Errors:** N/A  
**Film Number:** n/a  
**From:** BRASILIA  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1973/newtext/t19731018/aaaaaney.tel  
**Line Count:** 80  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE  
**Office:** ACTION ARA  
**Original Classification:** CONFIDENTIAL  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 2  
**Previous Channel Indicators:**  
**Previous Classification:** CONFIDENTIAL  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** 7194  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Authority:** garlanwa  
**Review Comment:** n/a  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 16 JAN 2002  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review History:** RELEASED <16-Jan-2002 by martinml>; APPROVED <07 FEB 2002 by garlanwa>  
**Review Markings:**

Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
30 JUN 2005

**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Referrals:** n/a  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** ADDITIONAL BRAZILIAN VIEWS ON BOGOTA FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE  
**TAGS:** PFOR, BR  
**To:** STATE  
**Type:** TE  
**Markings:** Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005